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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the continuation patent application of:

Inventor(s): LABERGE, Michel et al.  
Title: **OPTICAL CROSS-CONNECT SWITCH**

Enclosed are:

- [X] Application Data Sheet;
- [X] 48 pages of specification, 16 pages of claims, abstract and an unexecuted Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney;
- [X] 22 sheets of drawings; and,
- [X] Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503).

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